IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE OF STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE OF STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE OF SERIAL NO.: 09/147,405

FILED: April 1, 1998

FOR: New Fibrinogen Binding Protein Originating Prot

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

One Month
Three Months
The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$870.00

Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application. A verified small entity statement has been filed.

In is enclosed.

□ Notice of Appeal

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□ Response

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□ Appeal Brief

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